

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2009**, upon the application of **QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B**, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To authorize Questar Exploration and Production Company to drill, designate and utilize a horizontal lateral as an alternate unit well for CV RB SUN at the location and in the general manner shown on the plat submitted with the application, or within one hundred feet of the path and bottom hole location shown, provided that there are no perforations in the well bore closer than 330 feet to any unit boundary.
2. To confirm that with respect to horizontal wells drilled to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, within or to serve CV RB SUN, that production casing should be run and cemented across the pool in which the well is to be perforated for production and where the horizontal lateral portion of the well is cased and cemented back above the top of the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, the distance to any unit boundary and any offset well(s) should be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforation in the well, and not based on the penetration point or terminus.
3. To determine there is the need for an additional alternate unit well on CV RB SUN to efficiently and economically recover hydrocarbons underlying the unit that cannot otherwise be recovered by existing wells located on the unit.
4. To grant such exceptions to the well spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B, effective September 13, 2005, with respect to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, as may be necessary with respect to the proposed alternate unit well.
5. To authorize the unit allowable for this unit to be recovered from the existing wells on the units, the proposed alternate unit well, or from any combination thereof, at the discretion of the operator.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B was defined in Order No. 990-B, effective September 13, 2005, and was redefined as to specific units in subsequent orders.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.  
<http://dnr.louisiana.gov/conshearings>.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH**  
**COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

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**IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.**